

STATUS OF APPROPRIATIONS MEASURES, SECOND SESSION, ONE HUNDRED FIFTH CONGRESS—Continued

[As of October 17, 1998]

Measure of subcommittee	Bill and report(s)	Report filed	House			Senate			Conference report	Law approved	Public Law
			Sub-committee	Full committee	Floor	Sub-committee	Full committee	Floor			
Further Continuing Resolution (to October 14).....	H.J. Res. 134				Oct 12			Oct 12	(15)	Oct 12	105-254
Further Continuing Resolution (to October 16).....	H.J. Res. 135				Oct 14			Oct 14	(15)	Oct 14	105-257
Further Continuing Resolution (to October 20).....	H.J. Res. 136				Oct 16			Oct 16	(15)	Oct 16	105-
Fiscal year 1998 revised 302(b).....	S. Rpt. 105-271	Jul 28									
Fiscal year 1999 302(b).....	S. Rpt. 105-191	May 14									
Fiscal year 1999 latest 302(b).....	S. Rpt. 105-382	Oct 8									

¹ H.R. 2631 was vetoed on November 13, 1997.² Senate passed H.R. 3579 after substituting the text of S. 1768 as read a third time on March 26.³ On March 26, S. 1768 read a third time, text was subsequently incorporated in H.R. 3579.⁴ Substance of S. 1769, as reported, was incorporated in modified form in S. 1768. On March 26, a unanimous consent agreement was entered that when the Senate receives the House companion measure making supplemental appropriations for the International Monetary Fund (IMF), that all after the enacting clause be stricken and the text of the IMF title of S. 1768 be substituted and the bill pass.⁵ Senate passed H.R. 4101 after substituting the text of S. 2159 as read a third time on July 16.⁶ Veto message (H. Doc. 105-321) referred to House Committee on Appropriations on October 8.⁷ Senate passed H.R. 4276 after substituting the text of S. 2260 as passed.⁸ Senate passed H.R. 4103 after substituting the text of S. 2132 as read a third time on July 30.⁹ Senate passed H.R. 4060 after substituting the text of S. 2138 as passed.¹⁰ Senate passed H.R. 4059 after substituting the text of S. 2160 as read a third time on June 25.¹¹ Senate passed H.R. 4328 after substituting the text of S. 2307 as passed.¹² Senate passed H.R. 4104 after substituting the text of S. 2312 as read a third time on September 3.¹³ House recommitted conference report on October 5.¹⁴ Senate passed H.R. 4194 after substituting the text of S. 2138 as passed.¹⁵ Passed Senate without amendment.

Mr. STEVENS. I ask unanimous consent it be in order to ask for the yeas and nays.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. STEVENS. I ask for the yeas and nays on this bill.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there a sufficient second?

There appears to be a sufficient second.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

Mr. STEVENS. Mr. President, I yield back the remainder of the time that has been allocated to the Senator from West Virginia and myself.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. STEVENS. Mr. President, that closes debate on this bill.

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mr. Williams, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The nominations received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

REPORT CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO NARCOTICS TRAFFICKERS CENTERED IN COLOMBIA—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT RECEIVED DURING RECESS—PM 164

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 7, 1997, the Secretary of the Senate, on October 19, 1998, during the recess of the Senate, received the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

To the Congress of the United States:

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)) provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the *Federal Register* and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. In accordance with this provision, I have sent the enclosed notice to the *Federal Register* for publication, stating that the emergency declared with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia is to continue in effect for 1 year beyond October 21, 1998.

The circumstances that led to the declaration on October 21, 1995, of a national emergency have not been resolved. The actions of significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia continue to pose an unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States and to cause unparalleled violence, corruption, and harm in the United States and abroad. For these reasons, I have determined that it is necessary to maintain in force the broad authorities necessary to maintain economic pressure on significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia by blocking their property subject to the jurisdiction of the United States and by depriving them of access to the United States market and financial system.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, October 19, 1998.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE RECEIVED DURING RECESS

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 7, 1997, the Secretary of the Senate, on October 16, 1998, during the recess of the Senate, received a message from the House of Representatives announcing that the House has passed the following joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.J. Res. 136. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has passed the following bills, without amendment:

S. 1773. An act to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1977 to require food stamp State agencies to take certain actions to ensure that food stamp coupons are not issued for deceased individuals, to require the Secretary of Agriculture to conduct a study of options for the design, development, implementation, and operation of a national database to track participation in federal means-tested public assistance programs, and for other purposes.

S. 2241. An act to provide for the acquisition of lands formerly occupied by the Franklin D. Roosevelt family at Hyde Park, New York, and for other purposes.

S. 2272. An act to amend the boundaries of Grant-Kohrs Ranch National Historic Site in the State of Montana.

The message further announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolutions, without amendment:

S. Con. Res. 83. Concurrent resolution remembering the life of George Washington and his contributions to the Nation.

S. Con. Res. 120. Concurrent resolution to redesignate the United States Capitol Police headquarters building located at 119 D Street, Northeast, Washington, D.C., as the "Eney, Chestnut, Gibson, Memorial Building."

The message also announced that the House agrees to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 700) to remove the restriction on the distribution of certain revenues from the Mineral Springs parcel to certain members of the Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians.

The message further announced that pursuant to the provisions of section 168(b) of Public Law 102-138 and clause 8 of rule I, the Speaker appoints the following Members of the House to the British-American Interparliamentary Group: Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. REGULA, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. GILLMOR, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. WISE, and Mr. TANNER.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the resolution (H.

Res. 601) that the bill of the Senate (S. 361) entitled the "Rhinoceros and Tiger Conservation Act of 1998," in the opinion of this House, contravenes the first clause of the seventh section of the first article of the Constitution of the United States and is an infringement of the privileges of this House and that such bill be respectfully returned to the Senate with a message communicating this resolution.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION
SIGNED

The message further announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bills and enrolled joint resolution:

H.R. 2431. An act to express United States foreign policy with respect to, and to strengthen United States advocacy on behalf of, individuals persecuted in foreign countries on account of religion; to authorize United States actions in response to violations of religious freedom in foreign countries; to establish an Ambassador at Large for International Religious Freedom within the Department of State, a Commission on International Religious Freedom, and a Special Adviser on International Religious Freedom within the National Security Council; and for other purposes.

S. 1976. An act to increase public awareness of the plight of victims of crime with developmental disabilities, to collect data to measure the magnitude of the problem, and to develop strategies to address the safety and justice needs of victims of crime with developmental disabilities.

S. 1892. An act to provide that a person closely related to a judge of a court exercising judicial power under article III of the United States Constitution (other than the Supreme Court) may not be appointed as a judge of the same court, and for other purposes.

H.J. Res. 136. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes.

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 7, 1997, the enrolled bills and joint resolution were signed subsequently on October 16, 1998, during the recess of the Senate, by the President pro tempore (Mr. THURMOND).

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 10:01 a.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Keleher, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bills and joint resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 1467. An act to provide for the continuance of oil and gas operations pursuant to certain existing leases in the Wayne National Forest.

H.R. 3972. An act to amend the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act to prohibit the Secretary of the Interior from charging State and local government agencies for certain uses of the sand, gravel, and shell resources of the Outer Continental Shelf.

H.R. 4572. An act to classify that governmental pension plans of the possessions of the United States shall be treated in the same manner as State pension plans for purposes of the limitation on the State income taxation of pension income.

H.R. 4821. An act to extend into fiscal year 1999 the visa processing period for diversity

applicants whose visa processing was suspended during fiscal year 1998 due to embassy bombings.

H.R. 4829. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to transfer administrative jurisdiction over land within the boundaries of the Home of Franklin D. Roosevelt National Historic Site to the Archivist of the United States for the construction of a visitor center, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4831. An act to temporarily reenact chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code.

H.J. Res. 137. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 351. Concurrent resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make a technical correction in the enrollment of the bill H.R. 3910.

H. Con. Res. 352. Concurrent resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make technical corrections in the enrollment of a bill.

The message further announced that the House agrees to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 1197) to amend title 35, United States Code, to protect patent owners against the unauthorized sale of plant parts taken from plants illegally reproduced, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House agrees to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 1756) to amend chapter 53 of title 31, United States Code, to require the development and implementation by the Secretary of the Treasury of a national money laundering and related financial crimes strategy to combat money laundering and related financial crimes, and for other purposes.

The message further announced that the House has passed the following bill, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 2204. An act to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for the Coast Guard, and for other purposes, with an amendment.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

The message also announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled joint resolution:

H.J. Res. 137. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes.

The enrolled joint resolution was signed subsequently by the President pro tempore (Mr. THURMOND).

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE
RECEIVED DURING RECESS

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION
SIGNED

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 7, 1997, the Secretary of the Senate, on October 20, 1998, during the recess of the Senate, received a message from the House of Representatives announcing that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bills and joint resolutions:

H.R. 624. An act to amend the Armored Car Industry Reciprocity Act of 1993 to clarify

certain requirements and to improve the flow of interstate commerce.

H.R. 678. An act to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of Thomas Alva Edison and the 125th anniversary of Edison's invention of the light bulb, and for other purposes.

H.R. 700. An act to remove the restriction on the distribution of certain revenue from the Mineral Springs parcel to certain members of the Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians.

H.R. 1197. An act to amend title 35, United States Code, to protect patent owners against the unauthorized sale of plant parts taken from plants illegally reproduced, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1274. An act to authorize appropriations for the National Institutes of Standards and Technology for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1702. An act to encourage the development of a commercial space industry in the United States and for other purposes.

H.R. 1756. An act to amend chapter 53 of title 31, United States Code, to require the development and implementation by the Secretary of the Treasury of a national money laundering and related financial crimes strategy to combat money laundering and related financial crimes, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1853. An act to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act.

H.R. 2000. An act to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to make certain clarifications to the land bank protection provisions, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2186. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance to the National Historic Trails Interpretive Center in Casper, Wyoming.

H.R. 2281. An act to amend title 17, United States Code, to implement the World Intellectual Property Organization Copyright Treaty and Performances and Phonograms Treaty, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2370. An act to amend the Organic Act to Guam to clarify local executive and legislative provisions in such act, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2327. An act to provide for a change in the exemption from the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 for minors who are 17 years of age and who engage in the operation of automobiles and trucks.

H.R. 2616. An act to amend title VI and X of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to improve and expand charter schools.

H.R. 2675. An act to provide for the Office of Personnel Management to conduct a study and submit a report to Congress on the provision of certain options for universal life insurance coverage and additional death and dismemberment insurance under chapter 87 of title 5, United States Code, to improve the administration of such chapter, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2795. An act to extend certain contracts between the Bureau of Reclamation and irrigation contracts in Wyoming and Nebraska that receive water from Glendo Reservoir.

H.R. 2807. An act to clarify restrictions under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act on baiting and to facilitate acquisition of migratory bird habitat, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3055. An act to deem the activities of the Miccosukee Tribe on the Miccosukee Reserved Area to be consistent with the purposes of the Everglades National Park, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3069. An act to extend the Advisory Council on California Indian Policy to allow the Advisory Council to advise Congress on